GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES – Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department – Allegations of irregularities in execution of works of CPWS Scheme on Pondaluru in Kadapa District – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri P. Eswaraiah, the then AEE., Rajampet, Kadapa District - Expired – Further action abated – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (Vig-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 495 **Dated: 26-08-2020**
Read the following:

1)Govt. Memo.No.162/Vig.II/A1/2001-18 PR & RD Dept., Dt: 02.05.2005
2)Written Statement of Defence submitted by Sri P. Eshwaraiah, former AEE, Rajampet, Kadapa District Dt:07-08-2006.
3)G.O. Rt. No. 420 PR & RD (Vig. II) Dept., Dt. 22.03.2007
4)G.O. Rt. No. 421 PR & RD (Vig. II) Dept., Dt. 22.03.2007.
5)From GA (COI-JR) Dept., Dt. D.O. Lr. No. 133/COI.JR/07, Dt: 01.08.2008.
6)Govt. Memo.No.162/Vig.II/A1/2001-31 Dt. 08.09.2008
7)Govt.Memo.No.162/Vig.II/A1/2001-35 PR & RD (Vig. II) Dept., Dt.3.12.2009
8)From the ENC, PR, Hyderabad Lr.No.Vig.I(4)/17398/1999, Dt:12.09.2012
9)Govt. Memo. No. 162/Vig. II/A1/2001-42, Dt. 15.02.2013.
10)From the ENC, PR, Hyderabad Lr.No.Vig.I(4)/17938/99 Dt:11-3-2013.
11)From the ENC, PR, Lr.No.Ser.IV/17938/99, Dt:5-12-2019.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, charges were framed against Sri P. Eswaraiah, AEE., former AEE, Rajampet, Kadapa District on the allegations of irregularities in execution of works of CPWS Scheme on Pondaluru in Kadapa District.

2. In response to the above, in the reference 2nd read above, the Accused Officer, viz., Sri P. Eswaraiah, former AEE, Rajampet, Kadapa District, submitted his written statement of defence.

3. In the reference 4th read above, the case of the Accused Officer was entrusted to Commissioner of Inquiries, for regular enquiry, into the matter.

4. In the reference 5th read above, Commissioner of Inquiries furnished his enquiry report, holding that all charges framed against the Accused Officer as proved.

5. In the reference 6th read above, while communicating a copy of Enquiry Officers Report, a show cause notice was issued to the Accused Officer directing to submit his representation. The Accused Officer has not submitted his representation.

6. In the reference 7th cited, Government have requested the Engineer-in-Chief, PR, to furnish the incumbency particulars in respect of Sri P. Eswaraiah, former AEE, Rajampet, Kadapa District along with other 2 charged officers.

7. In the reference 8th cited, the Engineer-in-Chief, PR, Hyderabad has furnished the incumbency particulars of Sri P. Eswaraiah, former AEE., mentioning that he is died on 18-03-2009.

8. In the reference 9th read above, Government have requested the Engineer-in-Chief, PR, to furnish the share of each charged officers on the misappropriated amount with regard to the allegations of irregularities in execution of works of CPWS Schemes on Vontimitta and Pondaluru in Kadapa District.

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9. In the reference 10th read above, the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj has reported that Smt P. Samatha, W/o (Late) Sri P. Eswaraiah, former AEE was appointed compassionate grounds and working as Office Subordinate in O/o the EE, RWS&S, Division Nellore and she submitted that her husband Sri P. Eswaraiah, AEE was expired on 18-03-2009 while working at RWS&S Sub-Division, V. Kota, Chittoor District. She has requested to abate further action on the disciplinary case pending against her husband and requested to sanction pensionary benefits.

10. In the reference 11th read above, the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Vijayawada has reported that in order to avoid further delay in the matter as per the report of the then Chief Engineer, RWS Letter dated:3-6-2006, the financial loss to be recovered only from Sri D. Chandra Obula Reddy, former AEE i.e., Rs.1,65,239/- out of the total loss of Rs.4,95,718/- for the irregularities in execution of CPWS Scheme at Vontimitta.

11. The Government, after careful examination of the matter, have decided to abate further action against Sri P. Eswaraiah, former AEE, Rajampet, Kadapa District (Expired), on the allegations of irregularities in execution of works of CPWS Scheme on Pondaluru in Kadapa District, since he was expired on 18-03-2009 and the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj has clarified that no financial recovery was proposed for Pondaluru CPWS Scheme in which Sri P. Eswaraiah was held responsible and the financial loss to be recovered from Sri D. Chandra Obula Reddy, AEE, alone.

12. Accordingly, Government hereby abate further action against Late Sri P. Eswaraiah, former AEE, Rajampet, Kadapa District and expired.

13. The Engineer-in-Chief (Panchayat Raj), Vijayawada/Engineer-in-Chief (RWS) Vijayawada shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Vijayawada.
The Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The Accountant General, A.P., Amaravathi, Vijayawada.
The Secretary to A.P.V.C.,
A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.
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